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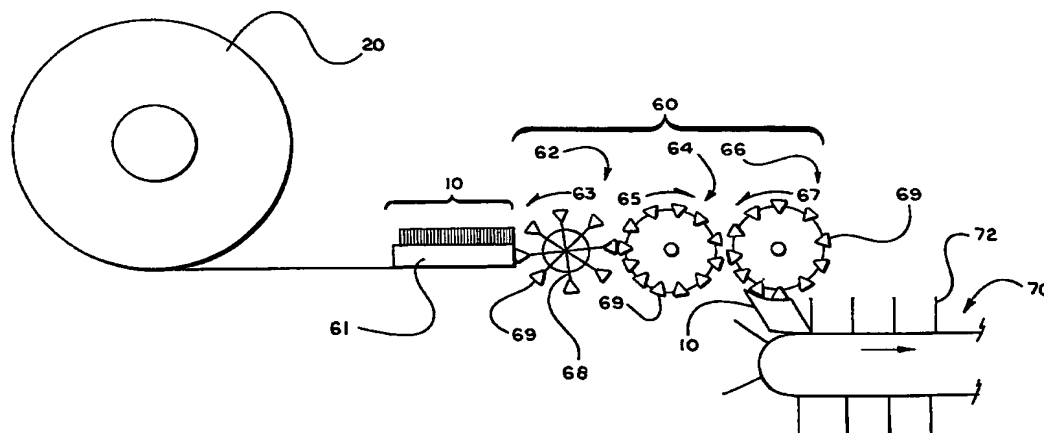
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(57) **Abstract:** Cartons (10) are stored in imbricated fashion on a coil, or spiral roll (20). An imbricated roll or coil of cartons is wound around a disk utilizing a length of a tape, band or belt (24). A de-curler mechanism removes a curl that is imparted to cartons stored on a roll so as to restore the cartons to a substantially flat condition.